LOCAL NEWS.

A quantity of cents can be had at the Star Counting Room.

Ammunition glass and putty at Duval's Umbrella Shop, Waterloo St.

The Victoria Rink band will be in attendance at the rink tonight and tomorrow afternoon.

A special meeting of the St. John W. C. T. U. will be held at three o'clock on Tuesday afternoon in the Germain street rooms.

Ne-be-de-ga Mineral Spring Water will not make a new stomach for you but will repair the one you have. 37 Church St. Phone 1616E.

Captain Frink requests the members of the Salvage Corps who are to act as ushers and assist at the carnival this evening, to be at St. Andrew's Rollaway not later than 7 p. m.

The ladies of Zion Methodist church will hold a rummage sale during the second week of September. All contributions will be gladly sent for by telephoning F. S. Purdy, Tel. 499.

Louise, the nine year old daughter of H. Hutchinson, of 47 St. James street, had two of the fingers of her left hand completely severed Saturday evening. About 7 o'clock she, with a neighbor's little girl, were chopping wood with a sharp axe in the yard. The Hutchinson girl was holding a piece of wood in position for the other to split and in descending the axe glanced and the Hutchinson girl's hand was struck.

The headquarters of the Natural History Society has been moved to the new building in Union street, where Miss Hoyt will attend as usual three afternoons in the week—Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. The removal of the museum to this building has been commenced.

For sale at a bargain—One safe, three office desks, one typewriter, one Silvermoon stove, three scales and balance of groceries at store 40 Dock street, formerly occupied by E. E. McMichael. 10-9-tf

Rev. Frank Milligan preached his first sermon in this city in the Congregational church last evening. Mr. Milligan, who is well known here, having formerly been employed with Manchester, Robertson & Allison, Ltd., entered the ministry about a year ago. His discourse last evening was listened to by a large congregation.

Holly Lingley, of Adelaide street, North End, who has been summering with his family at Millidgeville, is slowly recovering from a serious accident to his knee sustained, some weeks ago. In preparing to go in bathing Mr. Lingley fell with much force upon a sharp rock, part of a boulder, inflicting a gash above the knee joint and rendering him very lame. Twelve stitches were taken in the wound, which heals very slowly because of its proximity to the joint.

CHARGED WITH THEFT OF AN UNDERSKIRT

Barnum's Tattooed Man and a Nova Scotia Girl are Under Arrest.

Minnie Wilson, a young girl, nineteen years of age, belonging to Bridgetown, N. S., was arrested shortly after noon on Saturday by Detective Killen and Sergt. Caples on suspicion of stealing a silk skirt valued at twenty dollars from the Ferris Hotel, North End. A short time afterwards Mitchell Krurats was arrested by Sergeant Caples on suspicion of acting with Minnie Wilson in the theft.

The arrested girl has been a servant in one of the South End hotels. She has only been a short time on this occasion, but was previously in the city and was then also working in this hotel. Through the medium of a girl friend she became acquainted with Krurats and the two going to the Ferris Hotel on Friday night registered as man and wife.

Krurats gave Duluth, U. S. A., as his native place. He is twenty-five years of age. His first appearance in the city was at the time of the Barnum & Bailey circus. He appeared as the tattooed man and was selling photos of himself on all possible occasions.

The case was taken up in the police court this morning before Magistrate Ritchie.

Mrs. Teresa Ferris testified that she resided in the Ferris Hotel, 70 Main street, and that last Saturday morning she missed a silk skirt that she had left in a clothes press with some other clothes. The room was occupied by a couple, who registered as Mitchell Krurats and wife. They did not remain for breakfast, but left the hotel early in the morning. At 7.30 o'clock, when witness visited the room, she found that the skirt and a white slip waist were gone. The skirt is valued at $20.

In answer to Krurats witness said she recognized him as having stopped at the hotel before, but could not recognize the girl.

Mr. Ferris, son of the hotel proprietor, was the next witness and said that he saw the man and woman leave the hotel in the morning between six and seven o'clock. They had paid for the room in advance. Witness saw the couple leave the room in the morning and it was the only room on that flat with a clothes press in it. He recognized Krurats as having been an occupant of the hotel on other occasions. Just after the Barnum & Bailey circus left the city on one occasion when with a woman he registered at the hotel, he said he was away hundreds of miles away. He then was not the Wilson girl.

At that time the proprietor was not present; on this occasion the proprietor was home when the room was registered.

Krurats asked the court if he could get out on bail and said he had a couple of hundred dollars. He was told he would have to procure freehold property bondsmen. He thanked the court and was remanded to jail with the girl.

Both take the case in a matter-of-fact way, and it will be resumed on Friday.

NATIONAL CONGRESS TO MEET WEDNESDAY

Upwards of Fifty Delegates Expected Here.

A Resolution Will Be Introduced Asking the Government to Aid in Establishing the Shipbuilding Industry.

The fourth annual convention of the National Trades and Labor Congress of Canada will be held in this city this week. The first session will commence at 10 o'clock on Wednesday morning in the C. M. B. A. hall. It is expected that about fifty delegates will be present.

Thomas J. Griffiths, of Montreal, who is the general organizer of the Congress, is now in the city. He was seen by the Star this morning and gave the following information:

The National Trades and Labor Congress was founded in September, 1902, in Berlin, Ontario. It was the outcome of a long effort to form a purely Canadian federation of labor. It was the desire of the Congress to oppose the international organizations controlled by labor unions of the United States. The motto of the National Trades and Labor Congress of Canada is "Canada for Canadians."

Mr. Griffiths said: "We have aroused the antagonism of American associations; they have lost their power in exploiting Canadian labor organizations. The Congress wishes to make harmony exist between the employers and employes. The Canadian Trades and Labor Congress will also reduce strikes, and this is one of the important questions which will be taken up at the convention. The American labor organizations have accused the National Trades and Labor Congress with having received aid from the Manufacturers' Associations. The executive of the Congress challenge this, however, and declares that not one cent has been spent, which cannot be covered by receipts held by the different unions.

"One of the important features of the convention will be the passing of a resolution asking the Federal Government to encourage in every way the revival of shipbuilding in the lower provinces. Shipbuilding was once the greatest industry the provinces possessed, and it is to be hoped that the government will comply with the resolution of the Congress which is in line with those passed by other bodies.

"The different delegates who are to attend the convention will arrive tomorrow. Among them are: John E. Moe, President of the Hotel and Restaurant Employes Union of Montreal; Gilbert LeClara, President of the Canadian Federation of Shoe Workers, of Montreal; George Marois, President of the Shoe Machinists' National Union of Quebec; J. B. Guenette, President of the Longshoremen's National Union, of Quebec; J. B. Simard and L. C. D. Laroche, of the Trades and Labor Council of Quebec; Felix Dore, of the Brewery Employes' National Union of Quebec; Eugene Bernard, H. Faquet, Joseph Deswick, Fred Levin, Edward Barry, and Arthur Leturmeau, of the Shoe Machinists' Union of Quebec; Joseph LeClere and Felix Desquitteau, of the Longshoremen's National Union of Montreal; John E. Moe, Joseph Griffiths and Felix Monahan, of the Trades and Labor Council of Montreal; J. B. St. Laurent and E. Guarvu, of the Protective National Labor Union of Quebec; Hugh Beck and W. H. Stewart of the National Painters' Union of St. John; J. G. St. John, of the Sheet Metal Workers', of St. John; H. Perant, of the National Painters' Union of Quebec; J. Primeau, of the National Labor Union of Montreal; M. Kennedy, of the National Painters' Union of Ottawa; M. Tangulay, of the National Bakers' Union, of Montreal; John Dormer, of the Plasterers' Union, of Montreal; G. Perdon, of the Canadian Federation of Coopers, of Montreal; P. D. Degrandpre, of the National Union of Carpenters and Joiners, of Montreal; and Joseph Gagnon, of the Bakers' Union of Quebec."

The St. John committee have arranged to give a dinner to the visiting delegates at the Park Hotel on Thursday evening. A buckboard drive about the city will also be held.

THIS EVENING.

Carnival at St. Andrew's Rink.
Kerry Gow at the Opera House.
Band at Victoria Rink.
Band Concert at 7 p. m. to 8 p. m. at the foot of Garden street.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

WANTED—Dining room girl to take charge. Apply KENNEDY'S HOTEL, St. Andrews. 10-9-1

BOARDING—Board and room at 143 Union street. 10-9-4

BOARD WANTED—By elderly gentleman in private family (central.) Address Central, care Star office 10-9-tf

Warning to Exhibition Visitors.

We are obliged each exhibition year to turn away hundreds who come to St. John for the sole purpose of having their teeth attended to, but who neglect the main object of their visit until a few days before returning home.

We would therefore advise all to call early and avoid the usual rush so that they may not be compelled to return home disgusted at being unable to avail themselves of our SUPERIOR WORKMANSHIP and ATTRACTIVE FEES.

Parents should remember that the vacations are drawing rapidly to a close and that as they value the health and welfare of their own children and those of others they should see to it that their children's teeth are in proper condition. We can put their teeth in the condition they should be, without affording them any pain and we can do it reasonably. Call at once.

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Dr. J. D. Maher, Proprietor
Tel. 683.